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DRIED APPLES, 5 lbs. 25c.
DELTA BUTTER, per lb. 30c.
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CALIFORNIA BUTTER, per lb. 30c.
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MELTON MOWBRAY PORK PIES.

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Ladies' Blouses and Whitewear,
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GREAT VARIETY AND GOOD VALUE

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WHOLESALE DRYGOODS
VICTORIA, B. C.

Spring Styles

This season offer irresistible attractions in all lines of

Footwear

especially at the Paterson Shoe Co.'s, where the price is the converse of the quality; the latter high, the former low. Some one has said that well kept shoes are a sign of refinement. Our shoes, good to start with, easily and long keep their shape, and indicate elegance always.

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WALL PAPER SALE

Balance of last year's papers are selling at TWENTY PER CENT. DISCOUNT, OR FORTY TRADING STAMPS on the Dollar.

This is an opportunity to buy good papers at exceptionally low prices, for we MUST clear out all old stock to make shelf room for new goods, of which we have an immense stock, all at low prices.

J. W. MELLOR, 76 AND 78 FORT STREET, ABOVE DOUGLAS STREET

NICHOLLES & RENOUF, LD

Poultry Netting, Garden Tools,
Bone Mills, Lawn Mowers,
Garden Barrows, Paints and Oils.

NICHOLLES & RENOUF, LD.
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TO-LET, THE STORE
Most Suitable For Fancy Goods.
On Fort and Douglas Streets, lately known as the Royal Saloon. Apply
The B.C. Land and Investment Agency,
40 GOVERNMENT STREET.

Here is a World Beater
IN REAL ESTATE.
1-8 Acres
Close to Oak Bay Ave. car line and Junction, for
\$375.00
CASH.
Don't delay.
P. C. MACGREGOR & CO.,
OFFICES, NO. 2 VIEW ST.

We Are Offering
AT BOTTOM PRICES
Several desirable homes, also numerous choice building lots.
If you are looking for such we invite you to call on us before purchasing. You will save money by doing so.
Inquire in the Phoenix, of Hartford, for which we are general agents.
Money to loan in large or small sums at current rates of interest.
F. G. RICHARDS,
Managing Director, Victoria Financial, Real Estate & Insurance Brokerage Co., Ltd.,
Corner—Office MacGregor Block, Opposite DeLair Hotel.

Lee & Fraser,
REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE AGENTS.

We have for sale one of the loveliest homes in Victoria, situated in James Bay, and consisting of a modern 13 roomed two story house and an acre of land; good stable, orchard, etc., etc.; price \$9,000; much below value.

\$2,000 will purchase one of the loveliest homes in Victoria, situated at Oak Bay, on the water front, consisting of a seven roomed house, good lot and garden, stable, etc., etc. This property will only be offered for a limited period.

\$500, nice building lot near Michigan street.
\$525, lot with double frontage on N. Park street.
\$575, good lot on Carr street.
\$650 only for a very large lot and good cottage on N. Chatham street; easy terms.

\$800 will purchase a six roomed, 2 story house on the Oak Bay Ave. car line, hot and cold water, good lot.

9 and 11 Trousse Ave., Victoria, B. C.

Bottom Notch Prices
TOP NOTCH GOODS.
GARDEN TOOLS, 3 pieces set, 10c, 15c, and 25c.
JAMMERS, FLOWER POTS and HAMMOCKS, fine assortment, just opened up. See windows.
HASTIE'S FAIR,
77 GOVERNMENT STREET.

EARLY ROSE
Seed Potatoes
From carefully selected stock. Order early. Stock is limited.
Sylvester Feed Co., Ltd.,
CITY MARKET.

A BARGAIN.
\$50 CASH
And \$500, payable \$10 per month, will buy a
SIX-ROOMED TWO STORY HOUSE
Newly painted outside and newly kalsomined inside.
AT SPRING RIDGE.
A. W. MORE & CO., LD.,
86 GOVERNMENT STREET,
Next Bank of Montreal.

UNEQUALLED FOR BREAKFAST
TRADE MARK
B&K
REGISTERED

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J. & J. Taylor's
FIRE PROOF SAFES
And Vault Doors.
J. BARNESLEY & CO., Agents,
Government St. Guns and Ammunition

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Arrival at Melbourne

The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall Landed From Steamer Ophir To-Day.

Royal Party Received by Lord Hopetoun and State and Federal Ministers.

Drove Several Miles Through Decorated Streets Lined With Enthusiastic Crowds

(Associated Press.)
Melbourne, May 6.—The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York landed from the steamer Ophir at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

The Duke and Duchess were received at the pier head by Lord Hopetoun, governor-general, and state and federal ministers. The party passed down the quarter of a mile of carpeted pier and entered carriages and proceeded a distance of several miles through brilliantly decorated streets, bordered with almost continuous stands filled to their utmost capacity. The entire route was lined with demonstrative crowds and elaborate decorations.

Opposite the town hall the procession passed beneath the Queen's arch, canopied with royal colors and sheltering a golden statue of Queen Victoria. Twelve thousand troops were in line. There were 80,000 visitors in Melbourne. The drive terminated at Government House.

PRESIDENT HILL'S DENIAL
Says Story of Consolidation of Great Railway System is Ridiculous.

(Associated Press.)
New York, May 6.—James J. Hill, president of the Great Northern railway, denies the report that a plan was formed three years ago by J. P. Morgan, the Goulds, the Vanderbilts and himself for the consolidation of the great railway systems of the country, and that it is about to be carried out. Mr. Hill, who is at an hotel here, said: "This story is ridiculous and entirely unworthy of any serious consideration from anyone."

COAL DEAL
Agents of J. P. Morgan Are Negotiating Another Big Transfer.

(Associated Press.)
Cleveland, Ohio, May 6.—J. P. Morgan says one of the largest deals in the history of the coal financial world is now on and that all indications are that it will be brought to a close before the end of another week. The deal includes all the leading mines in the Hocking Valley coal fields and a number in the Sunday Creek district. The transfer has been engineered by agents of J. P. Morgan.

WILL REMAIN EMPTY.
Royalty Will Be Absent From Ascot This Year.

(Associated Press.)
New York, May 6.—Not only will there be no royal drawing-rooms or levees this year in London, says the Tribune's London correspondent, but it is rumored that the Royal Stand at Ascot is to remain empty and be draped in mourning.

SULTAN'S NEW ORDER.

(Associated Press.)
Constantinople, May 6.—An official circular has been issued notifying the members of the diplomatic corps that in future only distinguished visitors, accompanied by a diplomatist, will be admitted to the Selamluk.

DOCKMEN ON STRIKE.

(Associated Press.)
Genoa, May 6.—In consequence of a dispute regarding their hours of labor, the dockmen have gone on general strike, except at the Sanbenigo landing.

MINERS RESUME WORK.

(Associated Press.)
Monteau Mines, France, May 6.—The miners, who have been on strike here, resumed work this morning.

BOY MISSING.

He Is Supposed to Have Been Drowned While Playing on Barges.

(Associated Press.)
New York, May 6.—Henry Kreis, 8 years old, of West 38th street, and Thomas O'Neill, 6 years old, a playmate, left home to go to Sunday school. When the O'Neill boy returned alone the Kreis's parents asked for an explanation. The O'Neill boy said that they had gone to the river at the foot of West 40th street, and were playing on the barges, when suddenly he heard a splash and when he looked around Kreis was nowhere to be seen. The boy's father is confident that the boy was drowned.

The father says that he has had very little work during the past winter, times were so hard that he was not able to buy his son suitable clothes, and he was very ragged. On several Sundays the boy stayed away from Sunday school because, he said, the other little boys made remarks about his rags, calling him "Tatters." This time when he was told he would have to go he left the house in obedience to his father's command ostensibly to go to Sunday school, but it seems that he could not face the comments of his companions.

Debris Still Burning

Firemen Continue to Pour Water in Ruined Buildings at Jacksonville.

It is Believed Many Persons Lost Their Lives During the Fire.

(Associated Press.)
Jacksonville, May 6.—Two bodies, both Chinese, were found floating in the St. James river to-day. The charred appearance of the corpses indicates that they were victims of Friday's fire. It is generally believed other bodies shortly will come to the surface. It is impossible to ascertain who is missing, however, as thousands have left the city. S. A. McGottery, who was employed at the Gardner shipyards, almost lost his life in trying to save the people who rushed down Market street to the river when the flames were at their fiercest. He says he succeeded in getting twenty persons across the river, but as many more were either burned to death or drowned at the pier. The Alcazar at St. Augustine, although closed several weeks ago, has recognized to care for the refugees. Other resort hotels will probably all open to-morrow, as the crowds leaving the city increased to-day.

Thousands of people worked on Saturday and last night. The firemen have not been relieved. The debris is still burning and streams of water are being poured into the flames and embers all the time, night and day.

On every telegraph and telephone pole that was not destroyed linemen were at work. The trolley company has a large force of men hanging their wires and clearing the tracks, where the street was sufficiently cool, so as to establish car service as soon as possible. It will be several days before a car can pass in to East Bay street.

Ten military companies are still on duty to prevent vandalism. Martial law probably will be enforced at least another week.

The weather is much cooler to-day and the work of rehabilitation is being vigorously prosecuted.

This body of Harry Bonnettheau, a real estate owner, was recovered to-day from the St. John's river. Mr. Bonnettheau's widow and son are supposed to be in New York city.

MISSING OF BOERS.

London Standard Expects to Hear of Another Surrender of Large Number of Burglers.

(Associated Press.)
New York, May 6.—The report that a force of Boers are concentrating under Delarey at Hartbeesfontein is regarded with a feeling of satisfaction in London, according to the Tribune's correspondent. The Standard expects, as a result, to hear of another surrender on a scale of Prinsloo's. The British force should far outnumber the Boers, and as the latter must by this time have lost all their guns, Delarey cannot have any artillery with him. This fact alone should place him at a disadvantage.

American Prisoners.
London, May 6.—Replying to a question in the House of Commons to-day, Mr. Frederick the war secretary, said that among the prisoners captured in South Africa were twenty-six Americans, besides thirteen claiming to be Burglers. There was no intention of releasing any of the prisoners until the war should be over.

Sensational Charges

The Chinese Allege Terrible Mortality Since Arrival of the Allies.

Million Natives Reported to Have Been Killed or Starved to Death.

Pekin Correspondent Says Count Walderease May Return Home Next Month

(Associated Press.)
New York, May 6.—The latest mail from China, says a Washington special to the Tribune, has brought to the attention new proofs of the terrible and perhaps irremediable conditions which exist under foreign military rule in North China, involving a situation not hitherto realized, even at Washington, and utterly unappreciated in the United States generally. The character of the information which has now come into the administration's possession is summarized in the foreign extracts from a communication written by one of the most trusted officials in the service abroad and mailed from Peking a month ago.

The question of the raising the indemnity, though one of the most serious for the Chinese government, is not paramount. All the people who are likely to know, declare that the Chinese peasant can stand no greater burden of taxation than in the past, so the question resolves itself largely to reducing the expense of collection, which in China involves lucrative mining and industrial concessions to foreigners, but that means bartering their independence and laying on endless trouble for the Chinese who are quick to recognize the way. If the whole horror of the murder and pillage done between Tien Tsin and Peking comes to be understood in the United States and Europe, the sum of it is so great as compared to the number of Christians who have suffered at the hands of Chinese, that rightly or wrongly, the Chinese are likely to be held the injured party. Lancers impaling little children by the wayside in the streets of Peking are some at least of the well authenticated horrors, and some foreign soldiers a dead Chinese Christian is just as satisfactory an evidence of quarter as a dead Boer. They neither know nor care for such trifling distinctions. The allies, even if they could agree, could not set up an administrative machinery of their own for the Empire. They must restore the power to some native party, and the quicker they do it the better for China. The Chinese estimate that one million of their people have lost their lives by violent deaths or starvation since the allies came, and some foreign soldiers a dead Chinese Christian is just as satisfactory an evidence of quarter as a dead Boer. They neither know nor care for such trifling distinctions. The allies, even if they could agree, could not set up an administrative machinery of their own for the Empire. 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The River Rising

Steamer Can Now Proceed to Upper Skeena Without Difficulty - Louise Returns.

Dominion Labor Commissioner's Interview on Willamette Affair - New Sealing Arrivals.

Water in the Skeena river is rising, and steamers going up stream are expected from now on to make the voyage without further difficulty until such a time at least as a freshet comes rendering navigation dangerous again. The new steamer Hazelton has reached Esquimalt in safety on her voyage to the head waters of the river, whether she is taking a valuable cargo of merchandise from this city. The Caledonia, which has started on the trip early in the season, and which had only got about thirty miles under way when a sand bar prevented further progress, has since proceeded, and is now probably at Hazelton. Such is the news brought by the Louisa from Northern British Columbia ports this morning. Some spring salmon are being caught in the river, but at the time the Louisa sailed little fishing was being done. The steamer did not go over to Skidegate on this trip, and therefore brought no further news of the wreck reported on the West Coast of Graham Island, to which the D. G. S. Quadra has gone to examine and from which trip she is not expected back for another ten days. Among the passengers who came south on the Louisa is Capt. J. J. Gilbert, of the U. S. geodetic and coast survey steamer Pathfinder now at Comox calling for the voyage north. He has come to Victoria in advance of his ship, which he will rejoin here before the vessel proceeds to sea. The work of the Pathfinder this coming season will be that of conducting a survey among the Aleutian islands. Other passengers were R. Wood, of the Good Hope cannery, who landed at Vancouver, Mr. Marshall, who is going to Ashcroft to there commence work in installing machinery along the new telegraph line running north from that place. Constable Fraser was a passenger from Kivers Inlet to Hartley Bay, where he went to inquire into the reported finding of a body. He found, however, that the reports had no foundation in fact. A car load of pickled salmon and a quantity of oolichans made up the principal freight of the steamer on her return.

THE WILLAMETTE.

E. P. Brenner, Dominion government labor commissioner, and Col. L. Edwards, United States consul at Vancouver, who, as stated in Saturday's Times, have been inquiring into the Willamette affair, have returned to Vancouver, having come farther south than Nanaimo in the City of Nanaimo. Mr. Brenner will make a report in writing to Ottawa. Speaking generally about the matter, he said to a Vancouver World reporter that it would appear that the Willamette is lying in the harbor of Union. He says at no time since the seizure has any work been going on in making alterations or repairs of any kind to the wreck. The work of receiving the coal has been steadily going on, for it has not been affected by the custom seizure. Mr. Brenner was asked whether Moran would agree to employing Canadian men and a Canadian wrecking outfit. He replied that he had had several conversations with Mr. Moran at Union, and that gentleman did not appear to have any particular prejudice against Canadian men or Canadian wrecking outfits, so far as principle was concerned; but Mr. Moran still held to the position that he was within his rights in wrecking in that these were contiguous waters and he particularly wished to use his own crew and outfit for the reason that his men had many of them been with him for seven or eight years and were thoroughly experienced in the wrecking business, and acquainted with his plans. On the other hand, there are contractors and other expert men at Union who declare that they would have no difficulty in providing a suitable wrecking crew and outfit on the Canadian side of the line.

Col. Dudley when seen said that he had not gone to Union on orders from the Washington authorities, but was simply investigating the Willamette incident during a regular visit to the agency at Union. What particularly struck him, was how the Willamette has come to be wrecked in the place she was. He could not see how it could in any way be claimed that the big collier was lying in the harbor of Union, as she had crossed the channel and was lying on the further side nearly three miles away, and steamers from Alaska and northern ports passed in the channel between her and the wharf at Union. Col. Dudley agreed that it was a matter of settlement between two governments as to what could be included in contiguous waters, he himself was not prepared to define it. Speaking of hand if he was asked to settle the matter, however, he would try to come to some quick arrangement whereby the work could go on by the American side, if that was not possible, a Victoria outfit, before a big storm came along and settled the question, which has now become an international one, by sending the boat to the bottom of the sea.

LESSON FOR PASSENGERS.

Approaches of the Rio de Janeiro disaster following from the San Francisco Argonaut will be read with interest. "The steamer Alameda arrived off San Francisco harbor on Saturday, February 23rd. A heavy fog blanketed the vessel. The passengers had made the usual passenger's plan for landing at twelve minutes to six o'clock, passing the customs at nine minutes past six and dining at 25 minutes to seven. They grew dissatisfied when the ship slowed down to quarter speed with a regular rattle leaving the head-line of regular intervals. "As the afternoon wore away, the passengers soon almost reached the point of mutiny. Black looks greeted the captain as that hapless official stood upon the

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Sporting News

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GOLF. EJECTED OFFICERS.

At the last regular meeting of the New Westminster Golf Club the election of officers resulted as follows: President, Dr. Walker; secretary-treasurer, Mr. C. C. Worfold; committee, Messrs. G. E. Parkes, G. N. McDonald and J. M. Clancy.

THE WHEEL. HEI WANTS TO COME NORTH.

Elj Winscott, who is at present in San Jose, Cal., has expressed a desire to come North with his motor tandem, and make records in all directions, whether in Oregon, Washington or British Columbia. Winscott has been here before, and on several occasions met defeat on the Great Bay trail, so if he wants to distinguish himself he should avoid meeting two or three Northerners whom he positively can't beat.

THE SHARKER FLOORED HIM.

According to a dispatch from Denver, Col., "Shark" Tom Sharkey put out "Big" Fred Russell, the California heavyweight, in the fourth round of what was scheduled to be a ten-round go, before the Colorado Athletic Club here. It was characterized by rough-and-tumble tactics, engaged in by both, unless playing his little part, Tommy Ryan acted as Sharkey's chief adviser. Previous to the fight, Referee Frank Cullen declared all bets off, in order, as he announced, to protect the club and its patrons. It was rumored that there would be an agreement of some sort.

VACATING. THE SHAMROCK'S TRIAL.

Southampton, May 4.—After spending a couple of hours slipping about in the light winds of Cowes, Shamrock II in her trial spin today made a long board towards Ryde. There a fresher wind was met, and Shamrock II footed ahead in a way little short of marvellous. The cleanliness of her hull was shown by the smoothness of her going through the water, and, under to-day's conditions, Shamrock II is certainly a marvel in this respect. The wash from her bow quarter little more than rippled the surface.

LACROSSE. ADMITTED TO THE LEAGUE.

President W. C. Brown, of the Intermediate Lacrosse League, at the request of the Nanaimo and Westminster clubs' delegates, called a meeting on Saturday morning for the purpose of reconsidering the league's action in refusing to admit the Y. M. C. A. Lacrosse Club's delegates. Those present at the meeting were E. W. Stewart, secretary-treasurer of the league; Harold Johnson, member of the council; and Harding, delegate representing the Nanaimo club. The Y. M. C. A. Lacrosse Club was not represented.

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keeping them in this manner. The latter mode is certainly the most advantageous, and if the driver which will necessarily be made on the club's funds can meet it it is very likely to be adopted.

If the Victoria Hunt Club succeeds in becoming the possessors of a pack of these animals they will certainly be in the lead, as far as sporting goes, of any organization of its kind in the Western part of the Dominion.

JOCKEY CLUB ENTERTAINS.

The officers and members of the Vancouver Jockey Club entertained a large number of friends, including the mayor and council and many other citizens, at the Hastings park track on Saturday afternoon. Promptly at 2:30 the procession of carriages left the city hall and proceeded by way of Powell street over the newly macadamized streets of Ward III to the track.

An inspection of the grounds took place, the officers of the club taking a special interest in pointing out to the members of the city council the vast amount of improvements that has been made since the property had been leased to the Jockey Club for five years.

The club had spent about \$1,000 on the track alone, having made a cut of about 18 inches at the south end, the dirt being removed to raise the north end in order to make a more level grade to the track itself. New stables have been erected, costing in the neighborhood of \$900. Plenty of room is allowed in a box-stall in each of the divisions for the horses, with a place on the outside for hay and feed, over which is a bunk in which the jockeys or groom in charge of the horses are supposed to sleep. The length of the stable building is 200 feet, and it is the intention of the club to duplicate the structure as soon as more funds are available, when the old stables will be removed from the grounds.

Mr. Thomas Power O'Connor (Irish Nationalist), member for the Scotland division of Liverpool, opened a heated debate on the Irish question in the Imperial Commons yesterday by moving to reduce the salary of the Attorney-General for Ireland, asserting that not only was jury packing one of the most flagrant evils of local administration in Ireland, but the whole system was calculated to produce abrogation of law and to suppress individual and national liberty. Many members took part in the debate. The motion was rejected by 173 to 105.

A Toronto dispatch says five hundred public school teachers went to the city hall yesterday to draw their monthly salary. They had the right to do so, but for the first time in the history of the city, so far as recorded, it was not paid. The suspension of payment was due to the fact that a crisis has been reached in differences between the school board and board of control regarding the question of salary increases.

Spies who have arrived at Aden report that the Mad Mullah is marching with a considerable force from Lassadar, four days' march down the Tugdier river northward, with the object of raiding Berbera as soon as the British force leaves Burgo. A general British advance was expected. May Ist, but the Mullah's rapid marches caused constant change of plan.

Miss Florence Newman, who has been a great sufferer from muscular rheumatism, says Chamberlain's Pain Balm is the only remedy that affords her relief. Miss Newman is a much respected resident of the village of Gray, N. Y., and makes this statement for the benefit of others similarly afflicted. This Balm is for sale by Henderson Bros., Wholesale Agents.

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British rule in India and Egypt is the establishment of new and important industries. The people have been induced to some extent to throw off their innate conservatism and to launch out into new lines.

Notwithstanding the reports we read in the newspapers of this continent about the decline of British trade, it is curious that on the whole John Bull appears to be very well satisfied.

Procasters of the present day. Engines of 276 horse power were no doubt regarded as a triumph of mechanical skill, yet they would scarcely develop enough energy to feed the boilers of their successors on the Lucania and Campania.

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Mayor Manley Says Granby Company Contemplate Extensive Additions to Works. Converter Plant Now Being Built - Railway Survey Parties in the Field.

Personal. Dan. Mills, who is well known in this city, is among the many who, having spent the winter months in California, are returning before the extremely hot weather of the summer of that country comes on.

At present the capacity of the Granby smelter is put at 600 tons a day. The furnace now used are to have two additional ones added, which will make the capacity of the works 2,000 tons a day.

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SUCCESSFUL YEAR. Report of Centennial Sunday School Held Yesterday Shows Increase in Attendance.

At the morning service the superintendent of the Sunday school announced that on account of the increase of membership during the year it had become necessary for the accommodation of the children to build an addition to the Sunday school.

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BRITAIN'S RESPONSIBILITY. In spite of the ravages of famine and pestilence the population of India continues to increase. Nearly three hundred millions of people swarm there, and it is not to be wondered at that the slightest departure from the normal on the part of the elements and other forces which regulate the food supply is attended with results against which the puny efforts of man are of comparatively little avail.

RESTRICTION AND EXPANSION. Notwithstanding the reports we read in the newspapers of this continent about the decline of British trade, it is curious that on the whole John Bull appears to be very well satisfied.

THE REAL WORK OF THE SENATOR. The real work of the senator of the British Columbia Legislature has commenced. Watch it going through with celerity. There should be an opportunity very soon to find out which are the sheep and which the goats.

GAMBLING WOMEN. From Toronto, Montreal and Boston simultaneously reached against the pernicious habit of gambling among women. A young woman gave as her reason for not uniting with a certain organization, that whilst she occupied four afternoons and two evenings, twice a week, were devoted to billiards in a private club, another woman declared a short time ago that the habit with which in her neighborhood was almost as fatal as the habit of opium.

THE WORK OF AN M. P. Nowadays an M. P.'s constituents expect far more of him than in the good old times when it was possible for a member to spend £20,000 on his election, to represent a county for six years, and during that time only once to set foot in the House for a few minutes.

STATE OF TRANSITION. The London Times has issued a facsimile of its edition of June 20th, 1888, containing a full account of the coronation ceremonies in connection with the ascension to the throne of Queen Victoria. The appearance of this old paper affords a fine example of the conservatism and immovability of British institutions.

WHEN FRANCE WOULD FORGIVE US. Taglietta Rendschach, Berlin. It is an impossible idea that the Waldeck-Rousseau cabinet has been won for the Napoleonic movement. The rumor must be false that attempts have been made to gain the support for the monarchy from the German government.

TO CURE THE GRIP IN TWO DAYS. Laxative Bromo-Quinine removes the cause. As a curiosity of the recent German census, the village of Reichenbourg contained 444 inhabitants, 222 being of the masculine and 222 of the feminine gender.

WHY DID THEY SUFFER IT? Hamilton Spectator. We know why the lawyers address the Senate committee; but we don't know why the Senate committee lets 'em.

THE REAL THING. Ottawa Citizen. A Chinaman named Sing Sing has been sent to Sing Sing on the evidence of Tom Lee for the murder of Ah Fie. N. B.—This is not a tonic or a safe exercise. It is straight goods.

THE PUBLIC THAT STEAM NAVIGATION TO NEW YORK FROM LIVERPOOL HAS BEEN BEGUN and that "The City of Dublin Steam Packet Company's unrivalled safety steamship the Royal William, Lieut. W. Swainson, R. N. commander, 617 tons burden, engine 276 horse power, will sail from Liverpool for New York, without touching at any port in the Irish channel."

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MALARIA AND MOSQUITOS.

Modern Science Holds the Insect Pest Largely Responsible for a Prevalent Malady.

L. O. Howard, chief entomologist of the United States department of agriculture, tells in the Century the amazing story of the relation between "Malaria and Certain Mosquitos."

As plain as this story is, the filling of all the gaps and the mending of all the details have taken years of patient work. Before Laveran's original discovery of the parasite became generally known, an American physician, Dr. A. F. A. King, of Washington, propounded the idea that malaria is transmitted by mosquitos. His paper read before the Philosophical Society of Washington was a masterpiece, and summarized in an admirable way the arguments favoring such a theory; and the long-delayed proof now comes as a triumphant vindication of the views of this eminent American physician, views which were at first received with general incredulity. Even of late the "mosquito theory," as it has been called, has met with strong opposition on the part of conservative physicians and laymen. The point is often made by such persons that malaria exists in localities where there are no mosquitos, that persons get malaria without having been bitten by mosquitos, and stupidly enough, that mosquitos exist in numbers where there is no malaria. All opposition, however, has been forgotten, and the consensus of expert opinion is now united in the conclusion not only that the agency of mosquitos of the genus Anopheles is the only demonstrated method of the transmission of malaria, but that it is perhaps, even probably, and some say certainly, the only method by which the disease enters the human body.

In the United States many physicians in malarious neighborhoods have taken up the question with enthusiasm, and persons living in mosquito-infested localities are organizing and beginning exterminatory work. At the present time there is probably more intelligent work being done or being planned against mosquitos in the United States than elsewhere in the world. The great brackish marshes of the Atlantic coast and the many inland swamps and pools have made many portions of the United States great breeding-places for mosquitos. The vast majority of our mosquitos, however, are noxious only from their bite. Most of them belong to the genus Culex, and in the stomach of the mosquitos of this genus the malarial parasite does not develop. These mosquitos breed everywhere in standing water. They are found not only in the brackish marshes, in the great swamps, and in all pools in which fish are not numerous, but they breed also in horse-troughs, in rain-water barrels, in water running slowly through open sewers, and even penetrate through the perforated sewer-traps in large cities, and breed in the sewers below ground. A transient pool of surface-water left by heavy rains will breed a generation of mosquitos in a little more than a week. They will breed in the water collected in the hollows of old stumps, in old bottles or tin cans thrown on the dumps or in vacant lots; in fact, wherever still water stands for a week or ten days in the summer time the females of mosquitos in a little more than a week, their eggs upon it, and a generation will be produced. This water need not be perfectly uncovered, since a female mosquitos, in her desire to find a place to lay her eggs, will enter through a very small orifice. Water-tanks, therefore, not perfectly covered, afford excellent breeding-places. Old wells or cresspools, with board covers in which there are cracks wide enough for a mosquitos to enter, are often most prolific breeding places.

The general question of mosquitos control has been carefully studied. The writer conducted a large series of experiments a number of years ago, before the mosquitos-malaria relation was established, with a view to giving the inhabitants of mosquitos localities some relief from the attacks of these pernicious creatures. The three main remedies are: The drainage of stagnant standing pools where this is possible; the introduction of fish, and particularly of certain voracious species, such as the sticklebacks and the top-minnows, into shallow pools of water which is used for watering live stock; and, third, the treatment of pools or ponds or other bodies of water which cannot be drained, with kerosene. All these measures are efficacious. A combination of all is usually found necessary in any given neighborhood. Drainage of swamps as a community measure is highly to be recommended from every point of view. The use of kerosene where drainage is impossible is perfectly efficacious in destroying the wigglers, or larvae, of mosquitos. The amount to be used is about one ounce for each fifteen square feet of water surface, and the application should be repeated every fortnight. The kerosene not only kills the wigglers when they come to the surface to breathe, but kills the female mosquitos when they alight upon the surface of the water to lay their eggs.

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COLOGNE'S GREAT CATHEDRAL.

Augustine Birrell writes enthusiastically in the Century over the beauties of the Cathedral at Cologne. The first thing that strikes you about Cologne cathedral is its glorious proportion, its boundless wealth. There is so much of everything. Bricks and mortar were never so multiplied, magnified, and glorified. I should like to see the original specifications. It is more than a building; it is a city by itself. The material that goes to compose the flying buttresses alone would build cottages for ten thousand men. The grinning gargoyles, the enchanting turrets, the forests of stone foliage, the poetry of water-spouts, the quaint humors of the wood-carving, the depth of the cornices, the twists and turns of the roofing, the great population of statues, the rich mosaic—who can pretend to charge his memory with more than a miserable fraction of all this detail, or to say he knows Cologne cathedral? A man who is bored with Cologne cathedral had better at once betake himself to another world; this one can provide him with nothing more interesting. The vast front of a cathedral is always a severe test, for in itself it is nothing but a bare wall blocking up the end of the nave and isles. To make it significant and interesting it must have a great hole made in it as entrance or chief door. The doors of a church are all of importance, but the chief door is vital. Next to the door and over it comes the great window necessary to light the nave and also to be, as it were, the eye of the church. This, too, must be large and beautiful both in shape and tracery. Despite the fact that the west front is the most secular part of a church, being farthest away from the high altar, it is almost impossible for the church to be mightily impressive and dominating unless the face it shows to the outside world, to whom its mystery is addressed, is impressive and dominating also. The west front of Cologne cathedral is satisfactory. The great door is ninety-three feet high and thirty-one feet wide. These figures are comforting and inviting. The window is forty-eight feet high and twenty feet wide. The side entrances are generously planned, and the actual doors are bronze. Architects are apt to be timid when they should be bold, and bold only on the occasions when modesty would be charming. When you have passed through the western doors into the nave, you can scarcely restrain your cheers. No miserable partition, no ill-placed organ, mars your view of the splendid proportions of the edifice you have just entered. Your eye runs with joy up the avenue of pillars, past the windows of the transepts, enters the choir, and reverently beholds the steps of the altar, and is rewarded by the rich hues of the eastern window, and all in a moment of time.

WRITES FOR THE DYING.

Among the many old customs of Nicaragua those relating to the dead are the weirdest to the stranger. Some of these have been handed down by tradition from the Indians, others were brought over by the conquerors, and the two are so blended that it is difficult to tell which predominates. As soon as the medical pronouncement of illness fatal, the sick is sent to the village padre, who prepares to administer the last sacraments of the Church to the dying person. Placing the consecrated water in the custodia—a vessel of solid gold or silver, often resplendent with rare jewels—a procession is formed and marches through the street. A small boy, ringing a bell, rushes ahead to announce the approach of the sacred presence, and after him follows a band of music, often a single violin, playing a dirge. If it be possible to secure any soldiers, they surround the padre, who dressed in brilliant vestments, is generally carried in a chair, over which four men hold a purple canopy. As the little cortege moves down the silent streets, every one hares his head and knees, making the sign of the cross until the last soldier has passed. None to the sacred presence, stranger who fails to show this mark of respect, and many have been the instances where foreigners were pulled from their horses and even stoned for neglecting to follow this time-honored custom.

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A Bright Youth of Eighteen Suffered so Badly From Asthma and Bronchitis That He Was Forced to Remain in the House For Months at a Time.

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Mr. L. O. Lemieux, C. P. R. Engineer, 356 Alexander street, Winnipeg, Man., writes: My son, who is just eighteen years of age, has been suffering from asthma and bronchitis during the last winter months. I spent on the order of hundreds of dollars in consulting doctors and many remedies. For several weeks he has had to remain in the house, and during the winter months, I spent a time treated with poisons and mustard plasters to keep him from choking. Time after time we thought that he was about his last. About the first of September, 1900, we heard of Dr. Clarke's Kola Compound, and purchased in all seven bottles. While taking the first four bottles the change was gradual, but the last being taken, he is able to go out any day without any sign of his trouble whatever. Since completing the treatment he has been completely cured. This great medicine certainly has been a blessing to him. During the last year, since being cured, he has developed wonderfully physically and is able to do any kind of work. I give you this letter for it may bring the light of this wonderful medicine to some other suffering man. Every reason to thank the gentleman in Vancouver, whose testimonial I read.

AN ALL-AROUND BLESSING.

I wonder how many comprehend the value of the newspaper? Not in its first estate merely, because of that there is no question. Of course, women fully value the newspaper in its first freshness, but how about it after they have gotten all they can from it in reading? Not all of them know its possibilities in its last estate. All old newspapers should be saved, folded neatly and given a place in the tool chest, where they will be at hand when needed. Moths do not like printers' ink, and there is no more secure way of disposing of the winter clothing than to pack it away in newspapers. The articles, whether woollen or fur, should be well beaten in the open air, to make sure that no egg is deposited already, then folded carefully and packed closely in newspaper, so that there shall be no crack into which the insidious little insect may creep. By packing carefully in this way you will not need camphor, moth-balls, pepper or tobacco or any of these moth preventatives so frequently recommended. If there is any trouble when the articles are unpacked, it is because the moth-eaten article was packed. This is written out of twenty-five years of experience, during which time no garment thus packed has been touched by the moth or the buffalo-bug. Sallis Joy White in the Woman's Home Companion.

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AFTER TWO MONTHS.

Shot His Wife and Afterwards Committed Suicide—They Frequently Quarrelled.

(Associated Press.) Belfont, Pa., May 6.—Josetta King, of Millheim, to-day shot and fatally wounded her husband of two months, and when an officer attempted to arrest him, King shot himself through the heart and died almost instantly.

The couple quarrelled considerably during their brief married life. Mrs. King spent part of the time during the past fortnight at her parents' home. Yesterday she returned to her husband, and another quarrel ensued, when the young wife declared she would leave him to-day for good. This morning Mrs. King made ready to depart, and the husband, unable to persuade her to remain, secured his revolver and shot his wife in the back. King then went to his father's home, told what he had done and finally declared he would return and finish the job. In the meantime Mrs. King managed to make her way to Squire Musser's office at Millheim, and a constable was sent to arrest King. He met the angry husband on his way to Millheim, and when King saw the officer he immediately shot himself, dying in about ten minutes.

Mrs. King is still alive, but the doctors say she cannot recover. Jealousy was the cause of the crime.

MANY CASES OF SMALLPOX.

Quarantine Station at New York is Taxed to the Utmost.

(Associated Press.) New York, May 6.—The unusually large immigration from Italy this spring is responsible for a number of smallpox cases on board incoming steamers. The resources of the quarantine station at that port are being taxed to the utmost. There were 600 passengers on Hoffmann Island last night. This morning the quarantine barge is transferring 200 more from the steamer Weera, which arrived yesterday from Naples with three smallpox patients. The Vincenzo Florio, which arrived this morning from Naples with 88 steerage passengers, also brought a case of smallpox, and the probability is that a greater part of the passengers will be detained. Almost every steamer which arrived this morning from Naples brought smallpox to this port, and it is said that forty thousand Italian immigrants are booked to sail for New York from Italy in the month of May.

SUPPOSED MURDER.

Man's Body Found in Chicago and Police Think He Was Killed During Strike.

(Associated Press.) Chicago, May 6.—The Tribune says: The body of a man found in the slip at Morgan street and the south branch is believed by the police to show a murder committed during the strike last winter. The man is thought to have been Bert Shaw, formerly of Greene, N. Y., and a member of local union No. 7 of the Woodworkers. The police think Shaw was concerned in the strike at Ganger's planing mill, and that he was murdered and thrown into the river. There was signs of violence on the body. A union card, and a letter of recommendation from a manufacturing company of Greene, N. Y., were found in the clothing. The police think the man was killed about the time of the murder of non-union man Ferry in November, 1900. They believe that the man met death at the hands of the same gang.

THE STRIKE AT SCRANTON.

(Associated Press.) New York, May 6.—A. L. Truesdale, president of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railway, when asked yesterday about the strike of the company's employes at Scranton, said:

"I understand that all the men employed in the car repairing, blacksmith and paint shops, to the number of 1,000, have struck because we suspended an employe. Their action was very unjust because the man Hicks grossly disobeyed the company's rules in quitting work and leaving the grounds without a permit. I am not informed whether the men will go back to work or not. If they do not their places will be quickly supplied. Their going-out will make no real hardship for us for several weeks to come, because our rolling stock is just now in first class condition."

IRON WORKS COMBINE.

(Associated Press.) New York, May 6.—The official statement promised in connection with the federation of the Union Iron Works, of San Francisco, the Bath Iron Works, of Bath, Maine, the Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Company, of Newport News, and Lewis Nixon, of Elizabethport, was not made to-day. At the office of H. W. Pease & Co., who are financing the combination in connection with a group of banks and brokers, it was said that the statement would be given out on Wednesday.

NEW CANAL TREATY.

(Associated Press.) London, May 6.—The Associated Press has been officially notified that Lord Balfour has resolved from Secretary Hailey to the draft of a new Nicaragua canal treaty to be understood that it will be approved.

THE SENATE MAJORITY.

(Associated Press.) Washington, May 6.—The death of Senator Beck of the Conservative majority in the senate will be a surprise, as his appointments have been filed, will be a surprise.

THE EXPOSITION.

Mexicans Celebrated Yesterday—Laying Plans for Memorial Day.

(Associated Press.) Buffalo, N. Y., May 6.—There is no special programme for to-day and in fact for the present at the Pan-American ground. The band concerts and the electric illumination beginning at dusk, and which will probably be the feature of the show, will be given daily. At the present time there are upwards of 20,000 incandescent lights burning nightly and the wiring of many buildings has only begun.

Yesterday was Mexican fourth of July, and it was properly celebrated by the Mexicans on the Midway. The Hawaiians held religious services during the day.

Plans are being perfected by the exposition management to make the observance of memorial day in Buffalo the most notable in the history of the city.

The day will be one of the most memorable on the exposition programme, and it is hoped will revive interest in the observance of the day as originally intended. Distinguished orators will take part in the ceremonies, and there will be an imposing procession in connection with these exercises.

ANOTHER TRIAL.

(Associated Press.) Southampton, May 6.—Shamrock II had a second spin to-day, and the result supports the view that the cup challenger is vastly superior to the old boat when crewed, but the old boat can travel equally fast when sailing before the wind.

A fresh squally northeast wind promised just the conditions Capt. Smeaton desired to supplement Saturday's light breeze trial. The challenger set a club topped and the Shamrock I set a much larger club topped. They had the wind dead aft under the water. The challenger went out under main and topped only. The Shamrock I set a jib.

At the start the challenger ran out ahead, but the Shamrock I, catching a better breeze, soon began to overhaul her. The challenger set a jib and stayed, but, though the breeze here was light and the water smooth, Shamrock I held close astern, losing nothing from Netley to Colaba. There they headed into the wind and reached about a quarter to twelve, the challenger leading by half a minute passing the Spit light.

Reported Win for Shamrock I. London, May 6.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co. says Shamrock I beat Shamrock II in a seven mile spin by a minute and a few seconds.

WALL STREET.

(Associated Press.) New York, May 6.—The market opened in a state of wild excitement, and a block of from 1,000 to 25,000 shares taken on a rapidly rising scale in a large number of the principal stocks. The Grangers, Pacific, trunk lines and Southwestern were all notably affected, and there were striking gains in the Southern group and among the leading industries. The rise was overshadowed in the London market, where St. Paul had been advanced 4 1/2 Union Pacific 2 1/2, and other prominent American stocks from 1 to 2 points. Opening sales here of Atchafalca were 15,000 shares at 82 to 81, compared with 82 1/2 on Saturday. Northern Pacific opened 4 points and extended its gain to 6 1/2, continuing to advance. Union Pacific sold at 125 to 124, compared with 123 1/2 on Saturday on the transfer of 10,000 shares. There were other rallies up from 1 to 3 points. N. Y. C. rising 6 1/2. Among the Industrials the Steel stocks were most prominent, 25,000 shares of U. S. steel common selling at 53 to 53 1/2, compared with 52 1/2 on Saturday, and 4,500 of the preferred selling at 104 1/2 to 104, compared with 104 and rising afterwards to 104 1/2. A number of the other leading Industrials advanced from 1 to 2 points. There were further advances after the opening in many stocks, but the heavy volume of realising invited by the sharp advances made a quick impression on the market, and there were relapses of 1 to 1 1/2. The market became very feverish and irregular and the volume of dealings was large.

The stock market opened buoyantly: Amal. Copper, 123; Adm. 176; B. & O., 108; B. T. 85; B. & O., 111; Con. 206; C. & N. 52; Erie, 41 1/2; L. & N., 109 1/2; Man., 127 1/2; Mo. Pac., 114 1/2 to 116; Ontario & Western, 37; N. P., 114; R. I., 163 1/2; Reading, 44 1/2; do. 1st pfd., 78 1/2; St. Paul, 188; Sugar, 148; Southern, 35 1/2; Southern Pac., 54 1/2; T. & E., 67 1/2; Tobacco, 130; U. P., 125 to 127; U. S. Steel, 53 to 53 1/2; do. pfd., 104 1/2 to 104; W. U., 50 1/2 to 100.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

(Associated Press.) London, May 6.—Americans were the chief centre of attraction on the stock exchange to-day, which was increasingly excited with free buying. Beside the sensational advance in St. Paul, Northern Pacific common reached 112. After a strong opening irregularity developed with rapid fluctuations.

HEALTHFULNESS OF GAS FIRES.

A topic which often crops up for discussion is that which relates to the relative unhealthfulness of gas fires as compared with the "open grate." The opinion of experts will be found, I think, to declare that given proper ventilation, the gas fire is quite as healthy as the coal fire, while it represents a considerable saving in expense. But it is just this question of ventilation which is the crux of the whole matter, and there is no doubt that the open fire and chimney act as an open ventilating shaft in our rooms, which, but for this mode of communication with the air, would be essentially air-tight boxes. The other day I lighted upon an annotation which is of interest in connection with the use of gas fires. It came from Mr. T. Fletcher, F. C. S., whose experience as a maker of gas heating appliances entitles his opinions to the highest respect. Where dryness of the air is complained of in several rooms heated by gas fires, Mr. Fletcher says that the feeling is not due to lack of moisture, but to the escape into the air, of some of the products of gas combustion. Probably a trace of sulphur, for example, will cause the sensation of dryness. The moisture of a room remains much the same, indeed, when a gas fire or a coal one is used. But as long as we may enjoy the possession of sufficient consumption of the gas, which is the point to be aimed at, the only solution of this difficulty is to use the best makes of appliances.—The London Chronicle.

The whiskers of a cat are supposed by some naturalists to be provided with nerves down to the tip.

EMINENT SURGEON HERE.

Professor Winslow Anderson, State Surgeon of California, is Visiting the City—Something About Him.

This city is being visited at present by one of the most prominent gentlemen in medical and surgical circles on the continent. This is Winslow Anderson, A.M., M.D., M.R.C.P., etc., London, England, who is president of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of California. Accompanied by Mrs. Anderson, he is on a pleasure tour of the north, having made the trip from California's metropolis overland.

But the doctor is so ardent and devoted a disciple of Aesculapius, that he never disassociates himself from his profession during his stay here he will undertake a couple of operations. He conducted one this morning, and his great ability was plainly apparent. Besides being the head of the faculty in the institution just mentioned, is professor of gynecology, and a department with which he has been connected for many years, and in which he has achieved merited renown. There are 352 students in the college, and among them a number of British Colonials.

Dr. Anderson has also the largest private hospital on the Pacific Coast. It is situated on Sutter street, and has accommodation for fifty patients. That it is always well patronized is in itself a sufficient commentary on its excellence, and efficient management. He is an American, having been born in the Eastern States. He studied in London, where he obtained his degree, going to California twenty years ago to engage in his profession. He is a member of the state board of health, and is state surgeon. He pays quite a tribute to the Victoria medical men and says that the health of the city is safe in their hands. He is also editor and proprietor of the Pacific Medical Journal, devoted to medicine, surgery, dentistry and pharmacy, a neatly arranged publication of more than three hundred pages, containing information in each department of that most valuable and useful character. There is a literary department conducted by Professor Anderson, dealing with new books, under the various heads aforementioned.

He is apparently not one of those who believes that opportunity makes the man. At least as far as his profession it is rather the man who makes the opportunity. Asked by a Times representative as to whether the struggle among physicians was not more intense and the difficulties to advancement greater in the south than where competition is not extensive, he replied that "There was always room at the top." This aphorism, in Dr. Anderson's opinion, is more than the mere manipulation of a number of words into a sentence, for he holds that no matter what may be the conditions a good man must advance, and no obstacles may daunt or conquer him.

This is his first visit to this part of the continent, although he has visited almost every portion of the world. He is most favorably impressed with Victoria, and his sentiments in this respect are echoed by his wife. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson are staying at the Driard.

MEETING ON WEDNESDAY.

There will be a meeting of the Capital City Cycling Club at the B. C. Cycle and Supply Co., 96 Government street, on Wednesday, the 8th inst., for the purpose of discussing the advisability of holding a meet at Oak Bay park during the celebrations of this month.

TORTURE TALES.

Thumb-screws and Other Medieval Apparatus at a Penitentiary.

The Revue Blanche (Paris) publishes a sensational article exposing the horrors which it alleges are still carried out in the military penitentiary at Orlon. Thumb-screws are still the favorite item of torture, and if the agony they inflict is not considered sufficient, the unfortunate victim's hands are pinioned behind his back, the screws then being applied to his thumbs and fastened to his ankles by short chains, the victim thus being forced out to his knees and left in a posture of agonizing torture.

Another form of punishment is to tie the legs of the man together at the ankles and then fasten the hands to a ring high up in the wall so that the unfortunate is left partly suspended with his head downwards. The hands of the prisoner are invariably tied or chained together, and are rarely allowed to be loose. The food is barely enough to keep body and soul together, and even that meagre quantity is kept from the unhappy prisoners.

Sometimes a man is tied at the arms and legs with his hands behind his back, and a deep crease of blood, which constitutes his pillow, is placed just beyond his reach, the warden amusing himself by watching the contortions of the starving wretch as he strives to obtain his food.

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PRINTING AND BAND MONDAY, 4 P. M.

MEMBERS—C. H. Lagrin, Robert Dunn, N. Shakespear, E. A. Lewis, Aid. Stewart, Aid. Williams, Messrs. Geo. J. J. Boggs, Greenwood, Gullin and Dietzbarn.

SPORTS TUESDAY, 8 P. M.

MEMBERS—W. H. Langley, H. Morton, B. Schwengers, W. Mitchell, S. Watson, Chief Deasy, Major Williams, H. O'Dell, W. Morsley, H. L. Salomon, B. Temple, W. H. Wheeler, S. Lewis, and G. Burns. HERBERT CUTHBERT, Secretary.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that I, William Field, of the City of Victoria, intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners as a licensing agent for a transfer of the license held by me to sell wines and liquors by retail on the board of the Commercial Hotel, corner of Douglas and Cormorant streets, in the City of Victoria, B. C., to Fairview White and Matthew H. McClellan. Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 6th day of May, 1901. W. W. FIELD.

NOTICE OF PROTEST

Notice is hereby given that protest of the German ship "Roland," Meyer, master, now lying in Esquimaux harbor, will be extended on board of the said vessel on Wednesday, May 7th, at 3 p. m.

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Notice TO OWNERS OF DOGS

Any person allowing any dog in his custody for the time being to enter any of the lakes or upon any of the flower beds or gardens in Beacon Hill Park, will be dealt with summarily, according to the "Parks By-Law."

TENDERS

RE ESTATE OF GREGORY MODESTI, DECEASED. Tenders will be received by the undersigned until noon on Saturday, the 11th instant, for the purchase of the

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DIED.

ATKINSON. At the family residence, No. 4, Seaside, at 10 o'clock, from the influenza, Elizabeth Jane, the beloved wife of Mr. Geo. Atkinson, aged 34 years. The funeral will take place to-morrow (Tuesday) at 2 o'clock, from the residence as above, and at the Reformed Episcopal church at 2:30 p. m. Friends will please accept this intimation. TAYLOR. At Nelson, on May 2nd, D. L. Taylor.

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